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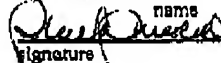
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION ACCOMPANYING RCE

Applicant respectfully requests consideration of the following amendment and remarks contained herein in response to the Office Action mailed July 27, 2005, in conjunction with the filing an RCE. Applicant respectfully submits that the amendment and remarks contained herein place the instant application in condition for allowance.